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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

YIP et al.

Application No.: 10/088,970

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For: PROSTATE CANCER MARKER
PROTEINS

Customer No.: 53671

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Examiner: Fetterolf, Brandon J

Technology Center/Art Unit: 1642

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed March 24, 2006, for the above-referenced application, please enter the following amendments and remarks. Exhibit A is attached to this response, and a Rule 132 Declaration of Dr. Yip having Exhibits 1-3 is being submitted concurrently herewith.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.